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The Newsletter for Marshall University

Feb. 17, 2021

Roundtable Discussion on
Christian Apologetics
Every Thursday in February 12:00pm Noon
At the **Campus Christian Center**
Led by **James Leonard, Ph.D.** from the MU Geography Department



Bring your lunch/snack and Bible or Bible app!

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

POWER HOUR:

CELEBRATING BLACK HISTORY THROUGH MUSIC

Every Friday at Noon ★ February 12, 19, & 26

LIVE ON 88.1FM

Join us live as we celebrate Black History Month through music by playing yesterday's and today's hottest Soul, R&B, and Hip-Hop!



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iCenter to observe Entrepreneurship Week

FEBRUARY 10, 2021

Introduction to Social Entrepreneurship

Thursday, Feb. 18, at 1 p.m. via Zoom



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Brandon Dennison, Founder & CEO of Coalfield Development, will lead a discussion on what social entrepreneurship is, why it's particularly important in Appalachia, and some of the big challenges and opportunities that come along with it. You will also have the opportunity to ask your questions during Q & A.

Register at:
<https://www.muicenter.com/national-ent-week>

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Join us during National Entrepreneurship Week as social entrepreneur Brandon Dennison shares his perspective on why social entrepreneurship is such an important strategy for the advancement of the Appalachian region. Based on his experiences over the past decade founding and growing Coalfield Development (based in Wayne, WV), Brandon will lead a discussion on what

social entrepreneurship is, why it's particularly important in Appalachia, and some of the big challenges and opportunities that come along with it. There will be plenty of time for Q and A. Dennison's work as a social entrepreneur has been recognized by national and international social entrepreneurship organizations including Ashoka, World Bank, and DRK. In 2019, he was awarded the prestigious Heinz Award for Employment and Economy. Register at <https://www.muicenter.com/national-ent-week>.

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CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

Women of Color Day

Marshall University's Women of Color Day celebration recognizes individuals who have conscientiously endeavored to increase respect for women of color and have contributed greatly towards promoting multicultural understanding and gender equality at Marshall University or in the Huntington Community.

3 NOMINATING CATEGORIES

- STUDENT
- FACULTY/STAFF/ADMINISTRATION
- COMMUNITY

Deadline: February 19, 2021

To submit application and view all qualifications, scan QR Code by placing camera over code.



Questions? Contact Shaunte Polk at polk4@marshall.edu or Lisa Allen at allenl@marshall.edu





Community-Based Learning Program

Spring 2021 Sessions

"CBL- A Pedagogical Tool" Monday, February 22, 2021 11:00am - 12:00pm Virtual (via Teams) Presenter: Kristi Fondren	"Reflection" Monday, March 15, 2021 11:00am - 12:30pm Virtual (via Teams) Presenter: Karen McComas	"Managing the Project" Monday, March 29, 2021 11:00am - 12:00pm Virtual (via Teams) Presenter: Sandra Kemper
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Questions? Contact kempers@marshall.edu or cbl@marshall.edu
Sponsored by the Community-Based Learning Program





DIGITAL HUMANITIES PRESENTS A

Podcasting Panel

FEB. 23 | 6-7 PM

Register at: tinyurl.com/DHpodcastpanel

Learn more about podcasting from experienced podcasters from Marshall University, who will discuss:

- How to get started
- How to promote a podcast
- How to improve an existing podcast

Featuring podcasters:

- Hilary Brewster (*Drama Near*)
- Raleigh Smirl (*Still Buffering*)
- and Chris White (*COVID in West Virginia Podcast with Chris White*)

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Employee Discounts

30% OFF FACIALS & 50% OFF LASER TREATMENTS

with our aesthetician Trish McCarty

Call 304-691-8910 for appointment.

Must present your Marshall University or Marshall Health employee ID. Valid until 2.28.21



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Staff Council, Rotaract Club collecting items for quarantined students

FEBRUARY 10, 2021



Marshall University Rotaract Club, in partnership with Classified Staff Council, will be collecting items throughout the semester for busy bags to give dorm students in quarantine. Please consider donating items like snacks, coloring & puzzle books, markers, crayons, colored pencils, etc. There's a box for donations in the Drinko Library, first floor lobby.

IT issues tax season reminders on identity theft

FEBRUARY 10, 2021



Information Technology
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Marshall University Information Technology (MUIT) wants to warn the Marshall community to be on the lookout for **Tax Identity Theft** scams. Many federal agencies are offering information and resources to help consumers learn to protect themselves from tax-related identity theft and Internal Revenue Service (IRS) imposter scams.

MUIT along with the National Cybersecurity & Communications Integration Center (NCCIC) and the United States Computer Emergency Readiness Team (US-CERT) encourage consumers to review IRS publication [Taxes.Security.Together.](#) and NCCIC/US-CERT Tip [Preventing and Responding to Identity Theft](#). Users can also participate in a series of [free webinars and chats](#) on avoiding tax identity theft, hosted by the Federal Trade Commission, IRS, Department of Veterans Affairs and others.

For more information about information security at Marshall please visit www.marshall.edu/infosec.



**2021 VIRTUAL
HERDCON**
Marshall University's Annual Pop Culture Convention

**MARCH
1ST-6TH**

Events will include a fashion show, panel discussions, games and more.

VISIT HERDCON
FOR A LIST OF
PROGRAMMING
AND EVENTS!

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**BYSTANDER
INTERVENTION TRAINING**
for faculty and staff

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3RD | 12-1PM

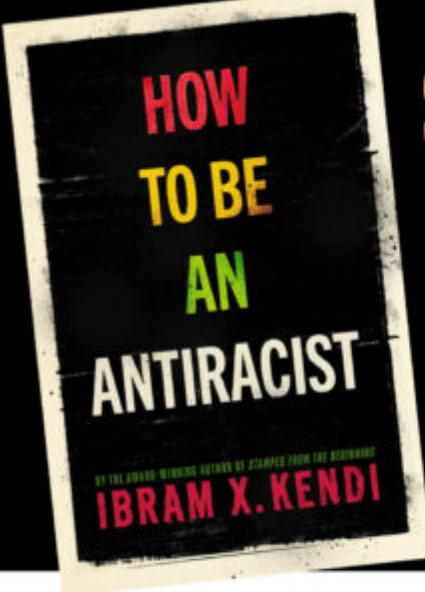
- Virtual training, via Microsoft Teams
- Learn strategies for intervening in concerning situations

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with CONTACT Rape Crisis Center

For more information or to sign up, visit: www.marshall.edu/violence-prevention
www.marshall.edu

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Save the Dates!


VIRTUAL BOOK DISCUSSIONS


with
President Gilbert

Start reading now: **HOW TO BE AN ANTIRACIST**

Discussions will be held on:
Wednesday, March 10th - 4pm
Wednesday, April 14th - 4pm

For more information, visit: www.marshall.edu/diversity
Sponsored by: President's Commission on Diversity, Equity & Inclusion





Coronavirus Statistics:

New Cases Since Feb. 1, 2021

Students: 38

Faculty: 0

Staff*: 3

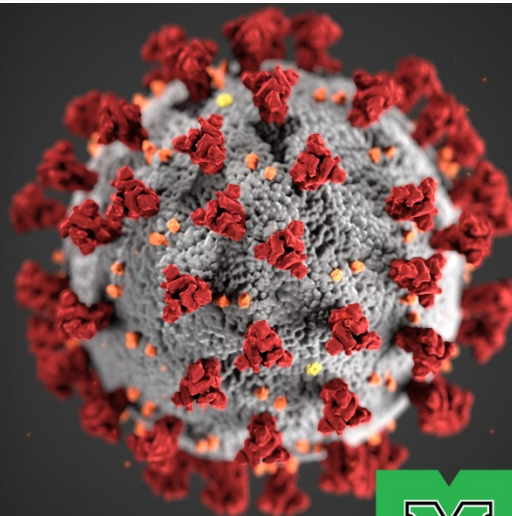
** Includes auxiliary employees (Sodexo, Aetna, Rec Center, etc.)*

All testing is being done in partnership with Marshall Health, Cabell Huntington Hospital, Pleasant Valley Hospital, QLab Inc. and MedExpress Urgent Care.

The most recent information is always available
at www.marshall.edu/coronavirus/dashboard.

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For COVID-19 and
Marshall University updates, visit:
www.marshall.edu/coronavirus



For additional information, visit:
www.cdc.gov



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